



**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
-EXPEDITED PROCEDURE-
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 1711**

CONFIRMATION NO.: 8016

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Rui Xie Examiner: R. A. Sergent

Serial No.: 09/919,994 Group: Art Unit 1711

Filing Date: August 2, 2001 Docket: 6400 (101-40)

For: HIGH PERFORMANCE POLYURETHANE Dated: December 22, 2006
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS*	13	28	0	x 25 =	\$0	x 50 =	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	11	0	x 100 =	\$0	x 200 =	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim				180		360	\$0

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2006 in connection with the subject application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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